PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Masahiro OKUDA

Appln. No.: 10/622,736

Group Art Unit: 1651

Confirmation No.: 2795

Examiner: Susan Marie Hanley

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For: REAGENT KIT FOR DETECTING LUPUS ANTICOAGULANT

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. This Amendment is filed concurrently with a Petition for Extension of Time, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 20, 2007 to December 20, 2007. This Amendment is therefore timely filed.

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